

**COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney's Docket No.

001425-120

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I BELIEVE I AM THE ORIGINAL, FIRST AND SOLE INVENTOR (if only one name is listed below) OR AN ORIGINAL, FIRST AND JOINT INVENTOR (if more than one name is listed below) OF THE SUBJECT MATTER WHICH IS CLAIMED AND FOR WHICH A PATENT IS SOUGHT ON THE INVENTION ENTITLED:

Interback-Type Substrate Processing Device

the specification of which

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☒ is attached hereto;

☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as

Application No. \_\_\_\_\_



and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_;  
(if applicable)

I HAVE REVIEWED AND UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED SPECIFICATION, INCLUDING THE CLAIMS, AS AMENDED BY ANY AMENDMENT REFERRED TO ABOVE;

I ACKNOWLEDGE THE DUTY TO DISCLOSE TO THE OFFICE ALL INFORMATION KNOWN TO ME TO BE MATERIAL TO PATENTABILITY AS DEFINED IN TITLE 37, CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, Sec. 1.56 (as amended effective March 16, 1992);

I do not know and do not believe the said invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before my or our invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my or our invention thereof or more than one year prior to said application; that said invention was not in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to said application; that said invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of said application in any country foreign to the United States of America on any application filed by me or my legal representatives or assigns more than twelve months prior to said application;

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code Sec. 119 and/or Sec. 365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate as indicated below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention having a filing date before that of the application(s) on which priority is claimed:

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Japan	2000-399444	27-12-2000	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>			
			YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>			
<p>I hereby appoint the following attorneys and agent(s) to prosecute said application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file, prosecute and to transact all business in connection with international applications directed to said invention:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">                 William L. Mathis 17,337                  Robert S. Swecker 19,885                  Platon N. Mandros 22,124                  Benton S. Duffett, Jr. 22,030                  Norman H. Stepno 22,716                  Ronald L. Grudziecki 24,970                  Frederick G. Michaud, Jr. 26,003                  Alan E. Kopecki 25,813                  Regis E. Slutter 26,999                  Samuel C. Miller, III 27,360                  Robert G. Mukai 28,531                  George A. Hovanec, Jr. 28,223                  James A. LaBarre 28,632                  E. Joseph Gess 28,510                  R. Danny Huntington 27,903             </td> <td style="width: 33%;">                 Eric H. Weisblatt 30,505                  James W. Peterson 26,057                  Teresa Stanek Rea 30,427                  Robert E. Krebs 25,885                  William C. Rowland 30,888                  T. Gene Dillahunty 25,423                  Patrick C. Keane 32,858                  B. Jefferson Boggs, Jr. 32,344                  William H. Benz 25,952                  Peter K. Skiff 31,917                  Richard J. McGrath 29,195                  Matthew L. Schneider 32,814                  Michael G. Savage 32,596                  Gerald F. Swiss 30,113                  Charles F. Wieland III 33,096             </td> <td style="width: 33%;">                 Bruce T. Wieder 33,815                  Todd R. Walters 34,040                  Ronni S. Jillions 31,979                  Harold R. Brown III 36,341                  Allen R. Baum 36,086                  Brian P. O'Shaughnessy 32,747                  Kenneth B. Leffler 36,075                  Fred W. Hathaway 32,236                  Wendi L. Weinstein 34,456                  Mary Ann Dillahunty 34,576             </td> </tr> </table> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 10px;">   <b>21839</b> </div>				William L. Mathis 17,337 Robert S. Swecker 19,885 Platon N. Mandros 22,124 Benton S. Duffett, Jr. 22,030 Norman H. Stepno 22,716 Ronald L. Grudziecki 24,970 Frederick G. Michaud, Jr. 26,003 Alan E. Kopecki 25,813 Regis E. Slutter 26,999 Samuel C. Miller, III 27,360 Robert G. Mukai 28,531 George A. Hovanec, Jr. 28,223 James A. LaBarre 28,632 E. Joseph Gess 28,510 R. Danny Huntington 27,903	Eric H. Weisblatt 30,505 James W. Peterson 26,057 Teresa Stanek Rea 30,427 Robert E. Krebs 25,885 William C. Rowland 30,888 T. Gene Dillahunty 25,423 Patrick C. Keane 32,858 B. Jefferson Boggs, Jr. 32,344 William H. Benz 25,952 Peter K. Skiff 31,917 Richard J. McGrath 29,195 Matthew L. Schneider 32,814 Michael G. Savage 32,596 Gerald F. Swiss 30,113 Charles F. Wieland III 33,096	Bruce T. Wieder 33,815 Todd R. Walters 34,040 Ronni S. Jillions 31,979 Harold R. Brown III 36,341 Allen R. Baum 36,086 Brian P. O'Shaughnessy 32,747 Kenneth B. Leffler 36,075 Fred W. Hathaway 32,236 Wendi L. Weinstein 34,456 Mary Ann Dillahunty 34,576
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